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## Policy-Driven Kernel-Based Security Implementation

### BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

#### Related Inventions

The present invention is related to commonly-assigned U. S. Patents, all of which were  
5 filed concurrently herewith and which are hereby incorporated herein by reference: U. S. Patent  
Application <sup>10/007,593</sup> serial number 09/\_\_\_\_\_, entitled "Kernel-Based Security Implementation"; U. S.  
Patent Application <sup>10/001,582</sup> (serial number 09/\_\_\_\_\_), entitled "Offload Processing for Secure Data  
Transfer"; and U. S. Patent Application <sup>10/007,581</sup> (serial number 09/\_\_\_\_\_), entitled "Offload Processing  
for Security Session Establishment and Control".

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